IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

NOV 0 3 2006 Applicant:

Said I. Hakky

: Group

"Serial No:

10/701,515

: Art Unit #3761

Filed:

6 November 2003

: Examiner:

Title:

INDWELLING URINARY CATHETER

: M.G. Bogart

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop – AF Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Examiner issued a final Office Action dated 9 June 2006 in the abovereferenced Patent Application. The reply period having now expired, a Request for Continued Examination and a Request and fee for a two month Extension of Time is concurrently filed herewith to ensure timely filing.

A telephone interview of the Examiner was conducted by the undersigned attorney on 24 October 2006. Responsive to the outstanding final Office Action dated 9 June 2006 and the discussions had during the telephone interview, please amend the above-referenced Patent Application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.